Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate was not in session today. It will next meet at 2 p.m. on Monday, March 22, 2010.

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 3 public bills, H.R. 4894–4896; were introduced. Page H1817 Additional Cosponsors: Page H1818

Report Filed: A report was filed today as follows: H. Res. 1203, providing for consideration of the Senate amendments to the bill (H.R. 3590) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify the first-time homebuyers credit in the case of members of the Armed Forces and certain other Federal employees, and for other purposes, and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4872) to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 202 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2010 (H. Rept. 111–448).

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Clarke to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: The House recessed at 9:15 a.m. and reconvened at 10:30 a.m. Page H1749

Journal: The House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal by a yea-and-nay vote of 211 yeas to 186 nays, Roll No. 153.

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Public Lands Service Corps Act: The House passed H.R. 1612, to amend the Public Lands Corps Act of 1993 to expand the authorization of the Secretaries of Agriculture, Commerce, and the Interior to provide service-learning opportunities on public lands, help restore the nation's natural, cultural, historic, archaeological, recreational, and scenic resources, train a new generation of public land man-

agers and enthusiasts, and promote the value of public service, by a yea-and-nay vote of 288 yeas to 116 nays, Roll No. 151.

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Agreed to the Lummis motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Natural Resources with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with amendments by a recorded vote of 387 ayes to 21 noes, Roll No. 150. Subsequently, Representative Grijalva reported the bill back to the House with the amendment and the amendment was agreed to.

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Agreed to amend the title so as to read: "To amend the Public Lands Corps Act of 1993 to expand the authorization of the Secretaries of Agriculture, Commerce, and the Interior to provide service opportunities for young Americans; help restore the nation's natural, cultural, historic, archaeological, recreational and scenic resources; train a new generation of public land managers and enthusiasts; and promote the value of public service." Page H1762

Pursuant to the rule, the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Natural Resources now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted.

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Agreed to:

Bishop (UT) amendment (No. 1 printed in part C of H. Rept. 111–445) that retains the existing authorization level of \$12 million a year and only authorizes the program for 5 years (by a yea-and-nay vote of 227 yeas to 180 nays, Roll No. 148) and

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Cole amendment (No. 2 printed in part C of H. Rept. 111–445) that amends Section 3(f) to allow the Secretaries to enter into arrangement with tribal